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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Case Docket No. LUTA0177PUS

In re application of: Robin M. Miller	Serial No.: 09/090,071 Filed: June 3, 1998
Title: Heads-Up Display With Improved Contrast	

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United States Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

____ Small entity status of the application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Verified Statement previously submitted.

____ A Verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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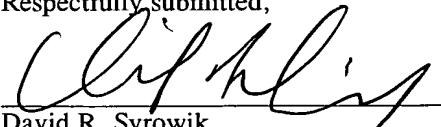
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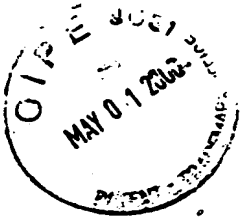
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 9, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Claims

5. (Amended) [A heads-up display as recited in Claim 1,] A vehicle heads-up display system comprising:
a source for providing a heads-up display onto a windshield of a vehicle; and
an arrangement for increasing the contrast of a heads-up display on the windshield compared to the background of the display on the windshield wherein the [contrast is provided by] arrangement includes an optical detector for capturing an image of the environment approaching the vehicle and a control coupled to the optical detector for controlling the heads-up display to contrast with the approaching image.

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